

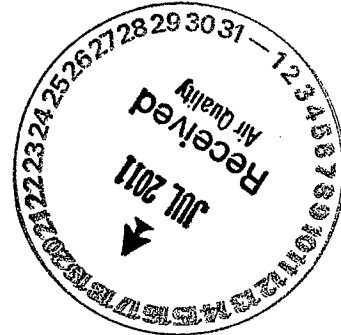
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July 15, 2011

Mr. Terry L. O'Clair
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North Dakota Department of Health
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RE: BART Revisions and Proposed NOx Testing

Dear Mr. O'Clair:

In response to recent correspondence from EPA, Great River Energy (GRE) has reevaluated the Coal Creek Station (CCS) NOx technology options, as originally presented in the BART Emission Control Cost Analysis Table A-1a. After making minor corrections to some erroneous calculations and updates to the capital costs, the analysis shows that Selective Non-Catalytic Reduction (SNCR) technology is not cost effective.

In addition, Great River Energy is committing to additional NOx optimization studies to better improve upon emissions reductions. It is our firm position that SNCR should not be required, based upon cost effectiveness thresholds as well as the relatively minor deciview improvements associated with the emission controls. Finally, Great River Energy has strong reservations about the feasibility of the ash mitigation technology, which will negatively impact ash sales. Given the limited timeframe to respond to recent EPA correspondence, Great River Energy has not been able to fully investigate the ash mitigation feasibility. We have, however, contacted the developer of the technology, Headwaters Resources. Headwaters has not conducted any research on application of this technology to lignite. Its inadequate experience with commercial application and the lack of research on lignite means that Headwaters is unable to provide any guarantee that the process can be successfully applied to treat lignite ash. Therefore, Headwaters does not recommend application of this technology at CCS. Consequently, it has not been included in the revised analysis.

Revised Cost and Emission Information

Great River Energy has updated the cost and emission information (see attachments). Most notably, Great River Energy has updated the SNCR capital cost based upon the recent revision to the IEC Cost model (Rev 3, Nov 2010). In the initial analysis, data from the 1998 cost model was used and was escalated to 2006 dollars. In order to remain consistent with other BART Analyses and other cost estimates, GRE has de-escalated the 2010 SNCR cost to 2006 dollars. With respect to emission information, Great River Energy noticed that the baseline NOx emission values did not use the highest two-year period from the baseline due to formatting error. This minor error was corrected.

Proposed NOx Optimization Study

Great River Energy recognizes the value of reducing emissions and supports NDDH's goal of lowering emissions, as demonstrated by our willingness to install emissions reduction technology (i.e., LNB3/SOFA "Option 2") well in advance of any regulatory requirement. In addition to these existing reductions, Great River Energy will commit to an evaluation and testing of NOx emissions to determine what emission reductions can now be achieved utilizing the novel DryFining™, multi-pollutant control technology.

As you are well aware, Great River Energy voluntarily installed DryFining as an innovative patented technology. The development of the DryFining coal drying technology has taken over ten years. The system provides a means of beneficiating low-rank feedstock in a manner that results in more efficient power plant operation and reduced emissions. During its development, Great River Energy believed that the DryFining system would provide additional NOx reductions. However, with no operating experience, GRE could not predict with certainty NOx emissions reductions and could not include them as part of the Final BART Analysis, which was submitted to NDDH in late 2007. In December 2009, the \$285 million DryFining system was placed in service.

Throughout 2010 and 2011, Great River Energy has continued to modify and finalize the design of this new technology. DryFining design changes are now final. The NOx, SO₂ and mercury emissions have been lowered. As one example, Unit 2's 2011 year-to-date NOx emissions are 0.146 lbs/mmBtu. This represents a 28% reduction from pre-DryFining emissions. Note that CCS Unit 2 has also installed LNB/OFA Option 2 from the BART table, in advance of the BART requirements. CCS has already demonstrated it can achieve 30-day rolling average emissions below the presumptive BART limit of 0.17 lbs/mmBtu.

Not only are Unit 2's year-to-date average emissions at 0.146 lbs/mmBtu, CCS has also operated at levels below 0.14 lbs/mmBtu on a short-term basis. CCS would need to conduct additional tuning and testing to determine whether this lower level is achievable on a 30-day rolling average basis.

To determine additional and achievable emissions reductions utilizing Option 2 and DryFining on Unit 2, Great River Energy proposes to complete a NOx optimization study. The scope of NOx optimization will include a comprehensive evaluation of NOx emissions and controls. The details of the testing program will be further determined as system experts and consultants are able to review and make recommendations for a testing protocol. The DryFining process is currently removing 8.5% of the feedstock moisture with a long term goal of 12% moisture removal. Great River Energy expects additional reductions as a result of the change in feedstock moisture. Additional testing is likely to include such things as boiler tuning and adjustments such as excessive air levels, an evaluation of computerized boiler optimization system benefits with DryFining, and burner, nozzle and SOFA designs associated with DryFining.

The preliminary timeline for testing is as follows:

- Develop testing protocol – 2011
- Testing NOx emissions at 12% moisture removal – 2011
- Engineering evaluation – 2012
- Purchase, install and calibrate carbon monoxide monitor – 2012
- Install additional thermocouples – 2013
- Perform NOx testing – 2012-2014
- Final report – December 2014

Progress reports will be communicated to the NDDH and a final written report will be prepared and delivered no later than December 2014. Based on the results of this testing and evaluation, CCS will commit to an achievable NOx emission limit that is lower than the presumptive BART value of 0.17 lb/mmBtu that is currently in the NDDH State Implementation Plan (SIP).

In summary, Great River Energy has revised the cost and emission tables to demonstrate SNCR is not cost effective. If EPA moves forward by requiring SNCR, Great River Energy is very concerned about the technical feasibility of the ash mitigation technology and, in fact, the technology developer does not guarantee or recommend the application of this technology at CCS. Therefore, as another demonstration of our commitment to emission reductions and improvement to regional haze, Great River Energy offers to complete a NOx optimization study. If these NOx reductions are incorporated into the BART

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analysis, it would further demonstrate that SNCR is not cost effective. We would appreciate any questions or comments that you may have on the revised analysis and proposed NOx optimization study.

GRE believes this approach is appropriately within the NDDH's authority. We request that NDDH take action to remove CCS from a proposed FIP and include this approach in the North Dakota SIP.

Please contact me if you have any questions (763-445-5212).

Sincerely,

GREAT RIVER ENERGY


for Mary Jo Roth
Manager, Environmental Services

Attachments

c: Tom Bachman, NDDH
Deb Nelson, GRE
Diane Stockdill, GRE

Great River Energy Coal Creek
BART Emission Control Cost Analysis

Table A-1a: Cost Summary

PM ₁₀ /PM ₁₀ Control Cost Summary									
		Baseline		0.030 lb/MMBtu					
Case	Control Technology	Controlled Emissions lb/MMBtu	Control Eff %	Controlled Emissions T/yr	Incremental Ranking	Emission Reduction T/yr	Installed Capital Cost \$	Annualized Operating Cost \$/yr	Pollution Control Cost \$/ton
1	PM Polishing WESP	0.015	50%	388.7	1	387.1	\$7,232,000	\$1,919,536	\$4,959
2	PM Baghouse	0.015	50%	388.7	--	387.1	\$37,370,845	\$7,674,855	\$19,829
3	Dry ElectroStatic Precipitator (ESP)	0.015	50%	388.7	--	387.1	\$38,510,903	\$10,061,861	\$25,996
SO ₂ Control Cost Summary									
		Baseline		2.12 lb/MMBtu					
Case	Control Technology	Designed Emissions lb/MMBtu	Control Eff %	Controlled Emissions T/yr	Incremental Ranking	Emission Reduction T/yr	Installed Capital Cost MM\$	Annualized Operating Cost MM\$/yr	Pollution Control Cost \$/ton
1	Scrubber Replacement	0.042	96%	1097.1	3	16237.0	\$196.62	\$29.81	\$1,836
2	Scrubber Mod. + Coal Dryer	0.128	94%	3318.8	2	14015.3	\$74.02	\$11.25	\$803
3	Spray Dry Baghouse	0.212	90%	5485.7	--	11848.5	\$178.98	\$28.97	\$2,445
4	Existing Scrubber + Coal Dryer	0.358	83%	9287.2	1	8046.9	\$69.00	\$9.57	\$1,189
5	DSI Baghouse	0.635	70%	16457.0	--	877.2	\$48.75	\$12.54	\$14,298
NO _x Control Cost Summary									
		Baseline		0.22 lb/MMBtu					
Case	Control Technology	Designed Emissions lb/MMBtu	Control Eff %	Controlled Emissions T/yr	Incremental Ranking	Emission Reduction T/yr	Installed Capital Cost MM\$	Annualized Operating Cost MM\$/yr	Pollution Control Cost \$/ton
1	Low Temperature Oxidation (LoTOx)	0.022	90%	557	5	5015.1	\$44.32	\$58.21	\$11,608
2	Selective Catalytic Reduction (SCR) w/Reheat	0.044	80%	1114	4	4457.9	\$70.44	\$44.81	\$10,051
3	Selective Non-Catalytic Reduction (SNCR)	0.110	50%	2786	3	2786.2	\$12.72	\$8.91	\$3,198
4	SOFA/LNB #2	0.151	32%	3799	2	1773.0	\$4.91	\$0.62	\$350
5	SOFA/LNB #1	0.171	23%	4306	1	1266.4	\$2.63	\$0.34	\$267

[1] Control Technology Classification: D=Dominate, I=Inferior. Only dominant costs are used to calculate incremental cost effectiveness.

Great River Energy Coal Creek
BART Emission Control Cost Analysis
Table A-13: NOx Control - Selective Catalytic Reduction SCR

Operating Unit: Unit 1 or 2

Emission Unit Number	NA	Stack/Vent Number	NA		Chemical Engineering
Design Capacity	6,019 MMBtu/hr	Standardized Flow Rate	965,316 scfm @ 32° F		Chemical Plant Cost Index
Expected Utilization Rate	100%	Temperature	330 Deg F		1998/1999 390
Expected Annual Hours of Operation	8,612 Hours	Moisture Content	15.3%		2005 465
Annual Interest Rate	5.5%	Actual Flow Rate	2,488,000 acfm		Inflation Adj 1.19
Expected Equipment Life	20 yrs	Standardized Flow Rate	1,550,000 scfm @ 330° F		
		Dry Std Flow Rate	1,312,850 dscfm @ 330° F		

CONTROL EQUIPMENT COSTS

Capital Costs		Duty MMBtu/hr	Control Eff	NOx in lb/MMBtu	Year	
Direct Capital Costs	EPRI Correlation	6019	80.0%	0.22	1998	40,951,514
Purchased Equipment (A1)					2005	48,826,805
Purchased Equipment Total (B)	0% of control device cost (A)				SCR Only	48,826,805
Installation - Standard Costs	15% of purchased equip cost (B)				SCR Only	8,788,825
Installation - Site Specific Costs						0
Installation Total						0
Total Direct Capital Cost, DC						0
Total Indirect Capital Costs, IC	0% of purchased equip cost (B)					0
Total Capital Investment (TCI) = DC + IC					SCR + Reheat	70,440,281
Operating Costs						
Total Annual Direct Operating Costs	Labor, supervision, materials, replacement parts, utilities, etc.				SCR + Reheat	38,808,410
Total Annual Indirect Operating Costs	Sum indirect oper costs + capital recovery cost				SCR + Reheat	5,998,573
Total Annual Cost (Annualized Capital Cost + Operating Cost)					SCR + Reheat	44,806,984

Emission Control Cost Calculation

Pollutant	Max Emis Lb/Hr	Annual T/Yr	Cont Eff %	Exit Conc	Conc Units	Cont Emis T/yr	Reduction T/yr	Cont Cost \$/Ton Rem
PM10	180.2	775.8				775.8	-	NA
Total Particulates	181.1	779.7				779.7	-	NA
Nitrous Oxides (NOx)	1,294.2	5,572.4	80%			1114.5	4,457.9	10,051
Sulfur Dioxide (SO ₂)	4,025.8	17,334.1				17334.1	-	NA

Notes & Assumptions

- 1
 - 2 Estimated Equipment Cost per EPA Air Pollution Control Cost Manual 6th Ed 2002, Section 4.2 Chapter 2
 - 3 Calculations per EPA Air Pollution Control Cost Manual 6th Ed 2002, Section 4.2 Chapter 2
 - 4 Capital Cost per EPA Air Pollution Control Cost Manual 6th Ed 2002, Section 4.2 Chapter 2 Eq 2.36 - 2.43
 - 5 Reagent Use per EPA Air Pollution Control Cost Manual 6th Ed 2002, Section 4.2 Chapter 2 Eq 2.32 - 2.35
 - 6 SCR Catalyst Volume per EPA Air Pollution Control Cost Manual 6th Ed 2002, Section 4.2 Chapter 2 Eq 2.18 - 2.24
 - 7 SCR Reactor Size per EPA Air Pollution Control Cost Manual 6th Ed 2002, Section 4.2 Chapter 2 Eq 2.25 - 2.31
 - 8 SCR Catalyst Replacement per EPA Air Pollution Control Cost Manual 6th Ed 2002, Section 4.2 Chapter 2 Eq 2.50 - 2.53
 - 9 SCR Electrical Demand per EPA Air Pollution Control Cost Manual 6th Ed 2002, Section 4.2 Chapter 2 Eq 2.48
 - 10 SCR Maintenance Costs EPA Air Pollution Control Cost Manual 6th Ed 2002, Section 4.2 Chapter 2 Eq 2.46
 - Presumptive BART limits use as basis for emission reductions in NOx control cost analysis (e.g. NOx limit for lignite is 0.29lb NOx/MMBTU) Using emission reduction feasible in recent BACT determinations (70% or higher) can significantly reduce the \$/ton control cost down to values
 - 11 approaching the BART economic feasibility values for presumptive BART.
 - 12 Reheat cost based on 180 F temperature from scrubber exhaust
 - 13 Process, emissions and cost data listed above is for one unit.
- For units of measure, k = 1,000 units, MM = 1,000,000 units e.g. kgal = 1,000 gal

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BART Emission Control Cost Analysis
Table A-13: NOx Control - Selective Catalytic Reduction SCR**

CAPITAL COSTS

Direct Capital Costs

Purchased Equipment (A) (1)

Purchased Equipment Costs (A) - Absorber + packing + auxiliary equipment, EC		48,826,805
Instrumentation	10% of control device cost (A)	NA
ND Sales Taxes	0.0% of control device cost (A)	NA
Freight	5% of control device cost (A)	NA
Purchased Equipment Total (A)		48,826,805

Indirect Installation

General Facilities	5% of purchased equip cost (A)	2,441,340
Engineerin & Home Office	10% of purchased equip cost (A)	4,882,681
Process Contingency	5% of purchased equip cost (A)	2,441,340

Total Indirect Installation Costs (B)	20% of purchased equip cost (A)	9,765,361
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Project Contingeny (C)	15% of (A + B)	8,788,825
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Total Plant Cost D	A + B + C	67,380,991
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Allowance for Funds During Construction (E)	0 for SNCR	0
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Royalty Allowance (F)	0 for SNCR	0
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Pre Production Costs (G)	2% of (D+E))	1,347,620
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Inventory Capital	Reagent Vol * \$/gal	48,174
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Intial Catalyst and Chemicals	0 for SNCR	0
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Total Capital Investment (TCI) = DC + IC	D + E + F + G + H + I	68,776,786
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Adjusted TCI for Replacement Parts (Catalyst, Filter Bags, etc) for Capital Recovery Cost		NA
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OPERATING COSTS

Direct Annual Operating Costs, DC

Operating Labor

Operator	NA	-
Supervisor	NA	-

Maintenance

Maintenance Total	1.50 % of Total Capital Investment	1,031,652
Maintenance Materials	NA % of Maintenance Labor	-

Utilities, Supplies, Replacements & Waste Management

Electricity	0.05 \$/kwh, 5,180 kW-hr, 8611.575 hr/yr, 100% utilization	2,258,130
NA	NA	-
NA	NA	-
NA	NA	-
NA	NA	-
NA	NA	-
SW Disposal	5.00 \$/ton, 47 ton/hr, 8611.575 hr/yr, 100% utilization	2,023,720
NA	NA	-
NA	NA	-
Lost Ash Sales	5.00 \$/ton, 47 ton/hr, 8611.575 hr/yr, 100% utilization	2,023,720
NA	NA	-
NA	NA	-
Ammonia	0.92 \$/lb, 1,420 lb/hr, 8611.575 hr/yr, 100% utilization	11,246,699
NA	NA	-
SCR Catalyst	500.00 \$/ft3, 0 ft3, 8611.575 hr/yr, 100% utilization	1,394,223
NA	NA	-

Total Annual Direct Operating Costs		19,978,143
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Indirect Operating Costs

Overhead	NA of total labor and material costs	NA
Administration (2% total capital costs)	NA of total capital costs (TCI)	NA
Property tax (1% total capital costs)	NA of total capital costs (TCI)	NA
Insurance (1% total capital costs)	NA of total capital costs (TCI)	NA
Capital Recovery	0.0837 for a 20- year equipment life and a 5.5% interest rate	5,755,195
Total Annual Indirect Operating Costs	Sum indirect oper costs + capital recovery cost	5,755,195

Total Annual Cost (Annualized Capital Cost + Operating Cost)		25,733,339
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Capital Recovery Factors	
Primary Installation	
Interest Rate	5.50%
Equipment Life	20 years
CRF	0.0837

Replacement Catalyst				
Equipment Life	24,000 hours			
FCW	0.3157			
Rep part cost per unit	500 \$/ft ³	# of Layers	12	
Replacement Factor	12 .ayers replaced per year =		1	
Amount Required	8,834 ft ³			
Catalyst Cost	4,416,933			
Y catalyst life factor	3 Years			
Annualized Cost	1,394,223			

SCR Capital Cost per EPRI Method		40,951,514		
Duty	6,019 MMBtu/hr	Catalyst Area	2,904 ft ²	361 f(h SCR)
Q flue gas	2,787,396 acfm	Rx Area	3,339	-24 f(h NH ₃)
NOx Cont Eff	80% (as faction)	Rx Height	57.8 ft	-728 f(h New) new= -728, Retrofit = 0
NOx in	0.22 lb/MMBtu	n layer	12 layers	Y Bypass? Y or N
Ammonia Slip	2 ppm	h layer	13.2 ft	127 f(h Bypass)
Fuel Sulfur	0.67 wt % (as %)	n total	13 layers	25,441,531 f(vol catalyst)
Temperature	330 Deg F	h SCR	90 ft	f(h SCR)
Catalyst Volume	106,006 ft ³	New/Retrofit	N	N or R

Electrical Use				
Duty	6,019 MMBtu/hr			kW
NOx Cont Eff	80% (as faction)		Power	5,179.7
NOx in	0.22 lb/MMBtu			
n catalyst layers	13 layers			
Press drop catalyst	1 in H ₂ O per layer			
Press drop duct	3 in H ₂ O			
Total				5179.7

Reagent Use & Other Operating Costs		Ammonia Use	
NOx in	0.22 lb/MMBtu	412 lb/hr Neat	
Efficiency	80%	29% solution	56.0 lb/ft ³ Density
Duty	6,019 MMBtu/hr	1420 lb/hr	189.6 gal/hr
	Volume 14 day inventory	63,719 gal	\$48,174 Inventory Cost

Operating Cost Calculations			Annual hours of operation:		8,612		
			Utilization Rate:		100%		
Item	Unit Cost \$	Unit of Measure	Use Rate	Unit of Measure	Annual Use*	Annual Cost	Comments
Operating Labor							
Op Labor	37	\$/Hr	0.0	hr/8 hr shift	0	0	\$/Hr, 0.0 hr/8 hr shift, 8611.575 hr/yr
Supervisor	15%	of Op.			NA	-	15% of Operator Costs
Maintenance							
Maintenance Total	1.5	% of Total Capital Investment				1,031,652	% of Total Capital Investment
Maint Mtls		0 % of Maintenance Labor			NA	0	0% of Maintenance Labor
Utilities, Supplies, Replacements & Waste Management							
Electricity	0.051	\$/kwh	5179.7	kW-hr	44,605,471	2,258,130	\$/kwh, 5,180 kW-hr, 8611.575 hr/yr, 100% utilization
Natural Gas	6.85	\$/kscf	0	scfm	0	0	\$/kscf, 0 scfm, 8611.575 hr/yr, 100% utilization
Water	0.31	\$/kgal	0.0	gph	0	0	\$/kgal, 0 gph, 8611.575 hr/yr, 100% utilization
Cooling Water	0.27	\$/kgal	0.0	gpm	0	0	\$/kgal, 0 gpm, 8611.575 hr/yr, 100% utilization
Comp Air	0.31	\$/kscf	0.0	scfm/kacfm*	0	0	\$/kscf, 0 scfm/kacfm**, 8611.575 hr/yr, 100% utilization
WW Treat Neutralization	1.64	\$/kgal	0.0	gpm	0	0	\$/kgal, 0 gpm, 8611.575 hr/yr, 100% utilization
WW Treat Biotreatemer	4.15	\$/kgal	0.0	gpm	0	0	\$/kgal, 0 gpm, 8611.575 hr/yr, 100% utilization
SW Disposal	5.00	\$/ton	47.0	ton/hr	404,744	2,023,720	\$/ton, 47 ton/hr, 8611.575 hr/yr, 100% utilization
Haz W Disp	273	\$/ton	0.0	ton/hr	0	0	\$/ton, 0 ton/hr, 8611.575 hr/yr, 100% utilization
Waste Transport	0.55	\$/ton-mi	0.0	ton/hr	0	0	\$/ton-mi, 0 ton/hr, 8611.575 hr/yr, 100% utilization
Lost Ash Sales	5.00	\$/ton	47.0	ton/hr	404,744	2,023,720	\$/ton, 47 ton/hr, 8611.575 hr/yr, 100% utilization
Lime	90.00	\$/ton	0.0	lb/hr	0	0	\$/ton, 0 lb/hr, 8611.575 hr/yr, 100% utilization
Ammonia	0.92	\$/lb	1420	lb/hr	12,224,673	11,246,699	\$/lb, 1,420 lb/hr, 8611.575 hr/yr, 100% utilization
Oxygen	15	kscf	0.0	kscf/hr	0	0	kscf, 0 kscf/hr, 8611.575 hr/yr, 100% utilization
SCR Catalyst	500	\$/ft3	0	ft³	0	1,394,223	\$/ft3, 0 ft3, 8611.575 hr/yr, 100% utilization
Filter Bags	160.00	\$/bag	0	bags	0	0	\$/bag, 0 bags, 8611.575 hr/yr, 100% utilization
** Std Air use is 2 scfm/kacfm				*annual use rate is in same units of measurement as the unit cost factor			

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Table A-15: NOx Control - Selective Non-Catalytic Reduction SNCR Lignite Coal

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Operating Unit: Unit 1 or 2

Emission Unit Number	NA	Stack/Vent Number	NA	Chemical Engineering
Design Capacity	6,019 MMBtu/hr	Standardized Flow Rate	965,316 scfm @ 32° F	Chemical Plant Cost Index
Expected Utilization Rate	100%	Temperature	330 Deg F	1998/1999 390
Expected Annual Hours of Operation	8,612 Hours	Moisture Content	15.3%	2005 465
Annual Interest Rate	5.5%	Actual Flow Rate	2,488,000 acfm	Inflation Adj 1.19
Expected Equipment Life	20 yrs	Standardized Flow Rate	1,550,000 scfm @ 330° F	
		Dry Std Flow Rate	1,312,850 dscfm @ 330° F	

CONTROL EQUIPMENT COSTS

Capital Costs	Duty MMBtu/hr	Control Eff	NOx in lb/MMBtu	Year	
Direct Capital Costs	EPRI Correlation, 1998 \$'s 6019	50.0%	0.22	1998	3,627,729
Purchased Equipment (A)	(13) contingencies and installation costs included (indexed to 2006\$)			2009	12,395,598
Purchased Equipment Total (B)	0% of control device cost (A)				12,395,598
Installation - Standard Costs	15% of purchased equip cost (B)				0
Installation - Site Specific Costs					0
Installation Total					0
Total Direct Capital Cost, DC					0
Total Indirect Capital Costs, IC	0% of purchased equip cost (B)				0
Total Capital Investment (TCI) = DC + IC					12,715,834
Operating Costs					
Total Annual Direct Operating Costs	Labor, supervision, materials, replacement parts, utilities, etc.				7,845,209
Total Annual Indirect Operating Costs	Sum indirect oper costs + capital recovery cost				1,064,053
Total Annual Cost (Annualized Capital Cost + Operating Cost)					8,909,261

Emission Control Cost Calculation

Pollutant	Max Emis Lb/Hr	Annual T/Yr	Cont Eff %	Exit Conc	Conc Units	Cont Emis T/yr	Reduction T/yr	Cont Cost \$/Ton Rem
PM10	180.2	775.8				775.8	-	NA
Total Particulates	181.1	779.7				779.7	-	NA
Nitrous Oxides (NOx)	1,294.2	5,572.4	50.0%			2786.2	2,786.2	3,198
Sulfur Dioxide (SO ₂)	4,025.8	17,334.1				17334.1	-	NA

Notes & Assumptions

- 1
- 2 Estimated Equipment Cost per EPA Air Pollution Control Cost Manual 6th Ed 2002, Section 4.2 Chapter 1
- 3 Capital Cost per EPA Air Pollution Control Cost Manual 6th Ed 2002, Section 4.2 Chapter 1 Eq 1.19
- 4 Reagent Use per EPA Air Pollution Control Cost Manual 6th Ed 2002, Section 4.2 Chapter 1 Eq 1.22
- 5 Water use per EPA Air Pollution Control Cost Manual 6th Ed 2002, Section 4.2 Chapter 1 Eq 1.25
- 6 Additional Fuel Use per EPA Air Pollution Control Cost Manual 6th Ed 2002, Section 4.2 Chapter 1 Eq 1.29
- 7 SNCR Electrical Demand per EPA Air Pollution Control Cost Manual 6th Ed 2002, Section 4.2 Chapter 1 Eq 1.23
- 8 SNCR Maintenance Costs EPA Air Pollution Control Cost Manual 6th Ed 2002, Section 4.2 Chapter 1 Eq 1.21
- 9 Lignite Coal Assumptions 6,054 Btu/lb (wet) Ash 8.2% 42% moisture \$10.20/ton delivered
- 10 Control Efficiency = % reduction needed to meet presumptive BART of 0.29 lb/MMBtu
Presumptive BART limits use as basis for emission reductions in NOx control cost analysis (e.g. NOx limit for lignite is 0.29lb NOx /MMBTU) Using emission reduction feasible in recent BACT determinations (70% or higher) can significantly reduce the \$/ton control cost down to values approaching the BART economic feasibility values for presumptive BART.
- 11 Process, emissions and cost data listed above is for one unit.
For units of measure, k = 1,000 units, MM = 1,000,000 units e.g. kgal = 1,000 gal
- 13 Values obtained from IECCOST Model V.3, Issued November 5, 2010. (\$25.47/kW at 550,000kW)

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BART Emission Control Cost Analysis**

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Table A-15: NOx Control - Selective Non-Catalytic Reduction SNCR Lignite Coal

CAPITAL COSTS

Direct Capital Costs

Purchased Equipment (A) (1)

Purchased Equipment Costs (A) - Absorber + packing + auxiliary equipment, EC		0
Instrumentation	10% of control device cost (A)	NA
ND Sales Taxes	0.0% of control device cost (A)	NA
Freight	5% of control device cost (A)	NA
Purchased Equipment Total (A)		0

Indirect Installation

General Facilities	5% of purchased equip cost (A)	0
Engineerin & Home Office	10% of purchased equip cost (A)	0
Process Contingency	5% of purchased equip cost (A)	0

Total Indirect Installation Costs (B)	20% of purchased equip cost (A)	0
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Project Contingeny (C)	15% of (A + B)	0
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Total Plant Cost D	A + B + C + SNCR Costs	12,395,598
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Allowance for Funds During Construction (E)	0 for SNCR	0
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Royalty Allowance (F)	0 for SNCR	0
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Pre Production Costs (G)	2% of (D+E))	247,912
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Inventory Capital	Reagent Vol * \$/gal	72,324
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Intial Catalyst and Chemicals	0 for SNCR	0
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Total Capital Investment (TCI) = DC + IC	D + E + F + G + H + I	12,715,834
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Adjusted TCI for Replacement Parts (Catalyst, Filter Bags, etc) for Capital Recovery Cost		12,715,834
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OPERATING COSTS

Direct Annual Operating Costs, DC

Operating Labor

Operator	NA	-
Supervisor	NA	-

Maintenance

Maintenance Total	15.00 % of Total Capital Investment	1,907,375
Maintenance Materials	NA % of Maintenance Labor	-

Utilities, Supplies, Replacements & Waste Management

Electricity	0.05 \$/kwh, 81 kW-hr, 8611.575 hr/yr, 100% utilization	35,387
NA	NA	-
Water	0.31 \$/kgal, 510 gph, 8611.575 hr/yr, 100% utilization	1,360
NA	NA	-
NA	NA	-
NA	NA	-
NA	NA	-
SW Disposal	5.00 \$/ton, 47 ton/hr, 8611.575 hr/yr, 10% ash landfill	2,023,720
NA	NA	-
NA	NA	-
Lost Ash Sales	5.00 \$/ton, 47 ton/hr, 8611.575 hr/yr, 10% Non-saleable	2,023,720
NA	NA	-
NA	NA	-
Urea	405.00 \$/ton, 1 ton/hr, 8611.575 hr/yr, 100% utilization	1,853,646
NA	NA	-
NA	NA	-
NA	NA	-

Total Annual Direct Operating Costs		7,845,209
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Indirect Operating Costs

Overhead	NA of total labor and material costs	NA
Administration (2% total capital costs)	NA of total capital costs (TCI)	NA
Property tax (1% total capital costs)	NA of total capital costs (TCI)	NA
Insurance (1% total capital costs)	NA of total capital costs (TCI)	NA

Capital Recovery	0.0837 for a 20- year equipment life and a 5.5% interest rate	1,064,053
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Total Annual Indirect Operating Costs	Sum indirect oper costs + capital recovery cost	1,064,053
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Total Annual Cost (Annualized Capital Cost + Operating Cost)		8,909,261
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Table A-15: NOx Control - Selective Non-Catalytic Reduction SNCR Lignite Coal

Capital Recovery Factors	
Primary Installation	
Interest Rate	5.50%
Equipment Life	20 years
CRF	0.0837

Replacement Catalyst		<- Enter Equipment Name to Get Cost	
Equipment Life	5 years		
CRF	0.2342		
Rep part cost per unit	500 \$/ft ³		
Amount Required	12 ft ³		
Packing Cost	6,300	Cost adjusted for freight & sales tax	
Installation Labor	945	Assume Labor = 15% of catalyst cost (basis labor for baghouse replacement)	
Total Installed Cost	0	Zero out if no replacement parts needed	
Annualized Cost	0		

Replacement Parts & Equipment:		<- Enter Equipment Name to Get Cost	
Equipment Life	2 years		
CRF	0.0000		
Rep part cost per unit	160 \$/ft ³		
Amount Required	0 Cages		
Total Rep Parts Cost	0	Cost adjusted for freight & sales tax	See Control Cost Manual Sec 6 Ch 1 Table 1.8 for bag costs
Installation Labor	0	10 min per bag, Labor + Overhead (68% = \$29.65/hr)	
Total Installed Cost	0	Zero out if no replacement parts needed	EPA CCM list replacement times from 5 - 20 min per bag.
Annualized Cost	0		

Electrical Use			
NOx in	0.22 lb/MMBtu		kW
NSR	1.24		
Power			81.2
Total			81.2

Reagent Use & Other Operating Costs		Urea Use	
NOx in	0.22 lb/MMBtu	531 lb/hr Neat	
Efficiency	50%	50% solution	71.0 lb/ft ³ Density 50% Solution
Duty	6,019 MMBtu/hr	1063 lb/hr	112.0 gal/hr
	Volume 14 day inventory	37,632 gal	\$72,324 Inventory Cost
Water Use	510 gal/hr	Inject at 10% solution	
Fuel Use	8.61 MMBtu/hr		10.74 wt % ash
			37.30 % Coal Moisture Content
			0.73 % Coal Sulfur Content
Ash Generation	147.83 lb/hr		6,257 Btu/lb of coal

Operating Cost Calculations			Annual hours of operation:		8,612		
			Utilization Rate:		100%		
Item	Unit Cost \$	Unit of Measure	Use Rate	Unit of Measure	Annual Use*	Annual Cost	Comments
Operating Labor							
Op Labor	37	\$/Hr	0.0	hr/8 hr shift	0	0	\$/Hr, 0.0 hr/8 hr shift, 8611.575 hr/yr
Supervisor	15%	of Op.			NA	-	15% of Operator Costs
Maintenance							
Maintenance Total	15	% of Total Capital Investment				1,907,375	% of Total Capital Investment
Maint Mtls	0	% of Maintenance Labor			NA	0	0% of Maintenance Labor
Utilities, Supplies, Replacements & Waste Management							
Electricity	0.051	\$/kwh	81.2	kW-hr	699,012	35,387	\$/kwh, 81 kW-hr, 8611.575 hr/yr, 100% utilization
Natural Gas	6.85	\$/kscf		0 scfm	0	0	\$/kscf, 0 scfm, 8611.575 hr/yr, 100% utilization
Water	0.31	\$/kgal	509.5	gph	4,388	1,360	\$/kgal, 510 gph, 8611.575 hr/yr, 100% utilization
Cooling Water	0.27	\$/kgal	0.0	gpm	0	0	\$/kgal, 0 gpm, 8611.575 hr/yr, 100% utilization
Comp Air	0.31	\$/kscf		0.0 scfm/kacfm**	0	0	\$/kscf, 0 scfm/kacfm**, 8611.575 hr/yr, 100% utilization
WW Treat Neutralization	1.64	\$/kgal	0.0	gpm	0	0	\$/kgal, 0 gpm, 8611.575 hr/yr, 100% utilization
WW Treat Biotreatment	4.15	\$/kgal	0.0	gpm	0	0	\$/kgal, 0 gpm, 8611.575 hr/yr, 100% utilization
SW Disposal	5.00	\$/ton	47.0	ton/hr	404,744	2,023,720	\$/ton, 47 ton/hr, 8611.575 hr/yr, 10% ash landfill
Haz W Disp	273	\$/ton	0.0	ton/hr	0	0	\$/ton, 0 ton/hr, 8611.575 hr/yr, 100% utilization
Waste Transport	0.55	\$/ton-mi	0.0	ton/hr	0	0	\$/ton-mi, 0 ton/hr, 8611.575 hr/yr, 100% utilization
Lost Ash Sales	5.00	\$/ton	47.0	ton/hr	404,744	2,023,720	\$/ton, 47 ton/hr, 8611.575 hr/yr, 10% Non-saleable
 							
Lime	90.00	\$/ton	0.0	lb/hr	0	0	\$/ton, 0 lb/hr, 8611.575 hr/yr, 100% utilization
Urea	405	\$/ton	0.5315	ton/hr	4,577	1,853,646	\$/ton, 1 ton/hr, 8611.575 hr/yr, 100% utilization
Oxygen	15	kscf	0.0	kscf/hr	0	0	kscf, 0 kscf/hr, 8611.575 hr/yr, 100% utilization
SCR Catalyst	500	\$/ft3	0	ft³	0	0	\$/ft3, 0 ft3, 8611.575 hr/yr, 100% utilization
Filter Bags	160.00	\$/bag	0	bags	0	0	\$/bag, 0 bags, 8611.575 hr/yr, 100% utilization
** Std Air use is 2 scfm/kacfm *annual use rate is in same units of measurement as the unit cost factor							

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Operating Unit: Unit 1 or 2

Emission Unit Number	NA	Stack/Vent Number	NA
Design Capacity	6,019 MMBtu/hr	Standardized Flow Rate	965,316 scfm @ 32° F
Expected Utilization Rate	100%	Temperature	330 Deg F
Expected Annual Hours of Operation	8,612 Hours	Moisture Content	15.3%
Annual Interest Rate	5.5%	Actual Flow Rate	2,488,000 acfm
Expected Equipment Life	20 yrs	Standardized Flow Rate	1,550,000 scfm @ 330° F
		Dry Std Flow Rate	1,312,850 dscfm @ 330° F

CONTROL EQUIPMENT COSTS

Capital Costs							
Direct Capital Costs							
Purchased Equipment (A)							1,000,000
Purchased Equipment Total (B)	5%	of control device cost (A)					1,050,000
Installation - Standard Costs	0%	of purchased equip cost (B)					2,000,000
Installation - Site Specific Costs							NA
Installation Total							2,000,000
Total Direct Capital Cost, DC							3,050,000
Total Indirect Capital Costs, IC	20%	of purchased equip cost (B)					0
Total Capital Investment (TCI) = DC + IC							4,913,299
Operating Costs							
Total Annual Direct Operating Costs		Labor, supervision, materials, replacement parts, utilities, etc.					7,966
Total Annual Indirect Operating Costs		Sum indirect oper costs + capital recovery cost					612,453
Total Annual Cost (Annualized Capital Cost + Operating Cost)							620,419

Emission Control Cost Calculation

Pollutant	Max Emis Lb/Hr	Annual T/Yr	Cont Eff %	Exit Conc	Conc Units	Cont Emis T/yr	Reduction T/yr	Cont Cost \$/Ton Rem
PM10	180.2	775.8				775.8	-	NA
Total Particulates	181.1	779.7				779.7	-	NA
Nitrous Oxides (NOx)	1,294.2	5,572.4	32%			3799.3	1,773.0	350
Sulfur Dioxide (SO ₂)	4,025.8	17,334.1				17334.1	-	NA

Notes & Assumptions

- 1 Sept 2005 Cost Estimate from Foster Wheeler, Option 1. Assumed price listed is for one unit. Costs in spreadsheet are for one unit
- 2 Calculations per EPA Air Pollution Control Cost Manual 6th Ed 2002, Section 6 Chapter 2 (Used PM Scrubber which has lowest installed cost multiplier)
- 3 Assumed 0.1 hr/shift operator and maintenance labor for LNB
- 4 Presumptive BART limits use as basis for emission reductions in NOx control cost analysis (e.g. NOx limit for lignite is 0.29lb NOx/MMBTU) Using emission reduction feasible in recent BACT determinations (70% or higher) can significantly reduce the \$/ton control cost down to values approaching the BART economic feasibility values for presumptive BART.
- 5 Process, emissions and cost data listed above is for one unit.
- 6 For units of measure, k = 1,000 units, MM = 1,000,000 units e.g. kgal = 1,000 gal

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CAPITAL COSTS

Direct Capital Costs

Purchased Equipment (A) (1)		1,000,000
Purchased Equipment Costs (A) - Absorber + packing + auxiliary equipment, EC		
Instrumentation	0% of control device cost (A)	0
Sales Taxes	0.0% of control device cost (A)	0
Freight	5% of control device cost (A)	50,000
Purchased Equipment Total (B)	5%	1,050,000

Installation

Foundations & supports	of purchased equip cost (B)	0
Handling & erection	of purchased equip cost (B)	0
Electrical	10% of purchased equip cost (B)	105,000
Piping	of purchased equip cost (B)	0
Insulation	15% of purchased equip cost (B)	157,500
Painting	of purchased equip cost (B)	0
Installation Subtotal Standard Expenses (1)		2,000,000

Site Preparation, as required	Site Specific	NA
Buildings, as required	Site Specific	NA
Site Specific - Other	Site Specific	NA
Total Site Specific Costs		NA
Installation Total		2,000,000
Total Direct Capital Cost, DC		3,050,000

Indirect Capital Costs

Engineering, supervision	5% of purchased equip cost (B)	
Construction & field expenses	10% of purchased equip cost (B)	
Contractor fees	0% of purchased equip cost (B)	
Start-up	1% of purchased equip cost (B)	
Performance test	1% of purchased equip cost (B)	
Model Studies	NA of purchased equip cost (B)	NA
Contingencies	3% of purchased equip cost (B)	
Total Indirect Capital Costs, IC	20% of purchased equip cost (B)	0

Ozone Generator, Installed Cost

Total Capital Investment (TCI) = DC + IC	2010 Actual Total costs of installation indexed to 2006 \$	4,913,299
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Adjusted TCI for Replacement Parts (Catalyst, Filter Bags, etc) for Capital Recovery Cost	4,913,299
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OPERATING COSTS

Direct Annual Operating Costs, DC

Operating Labor		
Operator	NA	-
Supervisor	NA	-
Maintenance		
Maintenance Labor	37.00 \$/Hr, 0.1 hr/8 hr shift, 8611.575 hr/yr	3,983
Maintenance Materials	100% of maintenance labor costs	3,983
Utilities, Supplies, Replacements & Waste Management		
NA	NA	-
NA	NA	-
NA	NA	-
NA	NA	-
NA	NA	-
NA	NA	-
NA	NA	-
NA	NA	-
NA	NA	-
NA	NA	-
NA	NA	-
NA	NA	-
Total Annual Direct Operating Costs		7,966

Indirect Operating Costs

Overhead	60% of total labor and material costs	4,779
Administration (2% total capital costs)	2% of total capital costs (TCI)	98,266
Property tax (1% total capital costs)	1% of total capital costs (TCI)	49,133
Insurance (1% total capital costs)	1% of total capital costs (TCI)	49,133
Capital Recovery	0.0837 for a 20- year equipment life and a 5.5% interest rate	411,142
Total Annual Indirect Operating Costs	Sum indirect oper costs + capital recovery cost	612,453

Total Annual Cost (Annualized Capital Cost + Operating Cost)	620,419
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Capital Recovery Factors	
Primary Installation	
Interest Rate	5.50%
Equipment Life	20 years
CRF	0.0837

Replacement Parts & Equipment:	
Equipment Life	5 years
CRF	0.0000
Rep part cost per unit	500 \$/ft ³
Amount Required	0 ft ³
Packing Cost	0 Cost adjusted for freight & sales tax
Installation Labor	0 Assume Labor = 15% of catalyst cost (basis labor for baghouse replacement)
Total Installed Cost	0 Zero out if no replacement parts needed
Annualized Cost	0

Replacement Parts & Equipment:	
Equipment Life	3
CRF	0.3707
Rep part cost per unit	160 \$ each
Amount Required	0 Number
Total Rep Parts Cost	0 Cost adjusted for freight & sales tax
Installation Labor	0 10 min per bag (13 hr total) Labor at \$29.65/hr
Total Installed Cost	0 Zero out if no replacement parts needed
Annualized Cost	0

OAQPS list replacement times from 5 - 20 min per bag.

Electrical Use						
Blower, Scrubber	Flow acfm		D P in H ₂ O	Efficiency	Hp	kW
	2,488,000		0	0.7	-	0.0
	Flow	Liquid SPGR	D P ft H ₂ O	Efficiency	Hp	kW
Circ Pump	000 gpm	1	0	0.7	-	0.0
H ₂ O WW Disch	0 gpm	1	0	0.7	-	0.0
			lb/hr O ₃			
LTO Electric Use	4.5 kW/lb O ₃					0
Other						
Total						0.0

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EPA Cost Cont Manual 6th ed Section 5.2 Chapter 1 Eq 1.49

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Reagent Use & Other Operating Costs					
Ozone Needed	1.8 lb O ₃ /lb NO _x	-	lb/hr O ₃		
Oxygen Needed	10% wt O ₂ to O ₃ conversion		0 lb/hr O ₂		0 scfh O ₂
LTO Cooling Water	150 gal/lb O ₃		0 gpm		
Liquid/Gas ratio	0.0	* L/G = Gal/1,000 acf			
Circulating Water Rate	0 gpm				
Water Makeup Rate/WW Disch =	20% of circulating water rate =		0 gpm		
Scrubber Cost	10 \$/scfm Gas	\$0		Incremental cost per BOC. Need to increase vessel size over standard absorber.	
Ozone Generator	\$350 lb O ₃ /day	\$0 Installed		Installed cost factor per BOC.	

Operating Cost Calculations			Annual hours of operation: Utilization Rate:		8,612 100%		
Item	Unit Cost \$	Unit of Measure	Use Rate	Unit of Measure	Annual Use*	Annual Cost	Comments
Operating Labor							
Op Labor	0	\$/Hr	0.1	hr/8 hr shift	108	0	\$/Hr, 0.1 hr/8 hr shift, 8611.575 hr/yr
Supervisor	15% of Op.				NA	-	15% of Operator Costs
Maintenance							
Maint Labor	37.00	\$/Hr	0.1	hr/8 hr shift	108	3,983	\$/Hr, 0.1 hr/8 hr shift, 8611.575 hr/yr
Maint Mtls	100	% of Maintenance Labor			NA	3,983	100% of Maintenance Labor
Utilities, Supplies, Replacements & Waste Management							
Electricity	0.051	\$/kwh	0.0	kVW-hr	0	0	\$/kwh, 0 kVW-hr, 8611.575 hr/yr, 100% utilization
Natural Gas	6.85	\$/kscf	0	scfm	0	0	\$/kscf, 0 scfm, 8611.575 hr/yr, 100% utilization
Water	0.31	\$/kgal	0.0	gpm	0	0	\$/kgal, 0 gpm, 8611.575 hr/yr, 100% utilization
Cooling Water	0.27	\$/kgal	0.0	gpm	0	0	\$/kgal, 0 gpm, 8611.575 hr/yr, 100% utilization
Comp Air	0.31	\$/kscf	0	kscfm	0	0	\$/kscf, 0 kscfm, 8611.575 hr/yr, 100% utilization
WW Treat Neutralization	1.64	\$/kgal	0.0	gpm	0	0	\$/kgal, 0 gpm, 8611.575 hr/yr, 100% utilization
WW Treat Biotreatement	4.15	\$/kgal	0.0	gpm	0	0	\$/kgal, 0 gpm, 8611.575 hr/yr, 100% utilization
SW Disposal	5.00	\$/ton	0.0	ton/hr	0	0	\$/ton, 0 ton/hr, 8611.575 hr/yr, 100% utilization
Haz W Disp	273	\$/ton	0.0	ton/hr	0	0	\$/ton, 0 ton/hr, 8611.575 hr/yr, 100% utilization
Waste Transport	0.55	\$/ton-mi	0.0	ton/hr	0	0	\$/ton-mi, 0 ton/hr, 8611.575 hr/yr, 100% utilization
Lost Ash Sales	5.00	\$/ton	0.0	ton/hr	0	0	\$/ton, 0 ton/hr, 8611.575 hr/yr, 100% utilization
Lime	90.0	\$/ton	0.0	lb/hr	0	0	\$/ton, 0 lb/hr, 8611.575 hr/yr, 100% utilization
Caustic	305.21	\$/ton	0.0	lb/hr	0	0	\$/ton, 0 lb/hr, 8611.575 hr/yr, 100% utilization
Oxygen	15	kscf	0.0	kscf/hr	0	0	kscf, 0 kscf/hr, 8611.575 hr/yr, 100% utilization
SCR Catalyst	500	\$/ft3	0	ft³	0	0	\$/ft3, 0 ft3, 8611.575 hr/yr, 100% utilization
Filter Bags	160.00	\$/bag	0	bags	0	0	\$/bag, 0 bags, 8611.575 hr/yr, 100% utilization
*annual use rate is in same units of measurement as the unit cost factor							

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Operating Unit: Unit 1 or 2

Emission Unit Number	NA	Stack/Vent Number	NA
Design Capacity	6,019 MMBtu/hr	Standardized Flow Rate	965,316 scfm @ 32° F
Expected Utilization Rate	100%	Temperature	330 Deg F
Expected Annual Hours of Operation	8,612 Hours	Moisture Content	15.3%
Annual Interest Rate	5.5%	Actual Flow Rate	2,488,000 acfm
Expected Equipment Life	20 yrs	Standardized Flow Rate	1,550,000 scfm @ 330° F
		Dry Std Flow Rate	1,312,850 dscfm @ 330° F

CONTROL EQUIPMENT COSTS

Capital Costs							
Direct Capital Costs							
Purchased Equipment (A)							500,000
Purchased Equipment Total (B)	5%	of control device cost (A)					525,000
Installation - Standard Costs	0%	of purchased equip cost (B)					2,000,000
Installation - Site Specific Costs							NA
Installation Total							2,000,000
Total Direct Capital Cost, DC							2,525,000
Total Indirect Capital Costs, IC	20%	of purchased equip cost (B)					105,000
Total Capital Investment (TCI) = DC + IC							2,630,000
Operating Costs							
Total Annual Direct Operating Costs		Labor, supervision, materials, replacement parts, utilities, etc.					7,966
Total Annual Indirect Operating Costs		Sum indirect oper costs + capital recovery cost					330,056
Total Annual Cost (Annualized Capital Cost + Operating Cost)							338,022

Emission Control Cost Calculation

Pollutant	Max Emis Lb/Hr	Annual T/Yr	Cont Eff %	Exit Conc	Conc Units	Cont Emis T/yr	Reduction T/yr	Cont Cost \$/Ton Rem
PM10	180.2	775.8				775.8	-	NA
Total Particulates	181.1	779.7				779.7	-	NA
Nitrous Oxides (NOx)	1,294.2	5,572.4	23%			4305.9	1,266.4	267
Sulfur Dioxide (SO ₂)	4,025.8	17,334.1				17334.1	-	NA

Notes & Assumptions

- 1 Sept 2005 Cost Estimate from Foster Wheeler, Option 1. Assumed price listed is for one unit. Costs in spreadsheet are for one unit
- 2 Calculations per EPA Air Pollution Control Cost Manual 6th Ed 2002, Section 6 Chapter 2 (Used PM Scrubber which has lowest installed cost multiplier)
- 3 Assumed 0.1 hr/shift operator and maintenance labor for LNB
- 4 Presumptive BART limits use as basis for emission reductions in NOx control cost analysis (e.g. NOx limit for lignite is 0.29lb NOx/MMBTU) Using emission reduction feasible in recent BACT determinations (70% or higher) can significantly reduce the \$/ton control cost down to values approaching the BART economic feasibility values for presumptive BART.
- 5 Process, emissions and cost data listed above is for one unit.
- 6 For units of measure, k = 1,000 units, MM = 1,000,000 units e.g. kgal = 1,000 gal

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Table A-17: NOx Control - Foster Wheeler Low NOx Burner / Over Fire Air Option #1

CAPITAL COSTS

Direct Capital Costs

Purchased Equipment (A) (1)		500,000
Purchased Equipment Costs (A) - Absorber + packing + auxiliary equipment, EC		
Instrumentation	0% of control device cost (A)	0
Sales Taxes	0.0% of control device cost (A)	0
Freight	5% of control device cost (A)	25,000
Purchased Equipment Total (B)	5%	<u>525,000</u>

Installation

Foundations & supports	of purchased equip cost (B)	0
Handling & erection	of purchased equip cost (B)	0
Electrical	of purchased equip cost (B)	0
Piping	of purchased equip cost (B)	0
Insulation	of purchased equip cost (B)	0
Painting	of purchased equip cost (B)	0

Installation Subtotal Standard Expenses (1) 2,000,000

Site Preparation, as required	Site Specific	NA
Buildings, as required	Site Specific	NA
Site Specific - Other	Site Specific	NA
Total Site Specific Costs		<u>NA</u>
Installation Total		<u>2,000,000</u>

Total Direct Capital Cost, DC 2,525,000

Indirect Capital Costs

Engineering, supervision	5% of purchased equip cost (B)	26,250
Construction & field expenses	10% of purchased equip cost (B)	52,500
Contractor fees	0% of purchased equip cost (B)	0
Start-up	1% of purchased equip cost (B)	5,250
Performance test	1% of purchased equip cost (B)	5,250
Model Studies	NA of purchased equip cost (B)	NA
Contingencies	3% of purchased equip cost (B)	15,750

Total Indirect Capital Costs, IC 105,000

Total Capital Investment (TCI) = DC + IC 2,630,000

Adjusted TCI for Replacement Parts (Catalyst, Filter Bags, etc) for Capital Recovery Cost 2,630,000

OPERATING COSTS

Direct Annual Operating Costs, DC

Operating Labor		
Operator	NA	-
Supervisor	NA	-
Maintenance		
Maintenance Labor	37.00 \$/Hr, 0.1 hr/8 hr shift, 8611.575 hr/yr	3,983
Maintenance Materials	100% of maintenance labor costs	3,983
Utilities, Supplies, Replacements & Waste Management		
NA	NA	-
NA	NA	-
NA	NA	-
NA	NA	-
NA	NA	-
NA	NA	-
NA	NA	-
NA	NA	-
NA	NA	-
NA	NA	-
NA	NA	-
NA	NA	-
NA	NA	-
Total Annual Direct Operating Costs		<u>7,966</u>

Indirect Operating Costs

Overhead	60% of total labor and material costs	4,779
Administration (2% total capital costs)	2% of total capital costs (TCI)	52,600
Property tax (1% total capital costs)	1% of total capital costs (TCI)	26,300
Insurance (1% total capital costs)	1% of total capital costs (TCI)	26,300
Capital Recovery	0.0837 for a 20- year equipment life and a 5.5% interest rate	220,077
Total Annual Indirect Operating Costs	Sum indirect oper costs + capital recovery cost	<u>330,056</u>

Total Annual Cost (Annualized Capital Cost + Operating Cost) 338,022

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Capital Recovery Factors	
Primary Installation	
Interest Rate	5.50%
Equipment Life	20 years
CRF	0.0837

Replacement Parts & Equipment:	
Equipment Life	5 years
CRF	0.0000
Rep part cost per unit	500 \$/ft ³
Amount Required	0 ft ³
Packing Cost	0 Cost adjusted for freight & sales tax
Installation Labor	0 Assume Labor = 15% of catalyst cost (basis labor for baghouse replacement)
Total Installed Cost	0 Zero out if no replacement parts needed
Annualized Cost	0

Replacement Parts & Equipment:	
Equipment Life	3
CRF	0.3707
Rep part cost per unit	160 \$ each
Amount Required	0 Number
Total Rep Parts Cost	0 Cost adjusted for freight & sales tax
Installation Labor	0 10 min per bag (13 hr total) Labor at \$29.65/hr
Total Installed Cost	0 Zero out if no replacement parts needed
Annualized Cost	0

OAQPS list replacement times from 5 - 20 min per bag.

Electrical Use						
Blower, Scrubber	Flow acfm		D P in H ₂ O	Efficiency	Hp	kW
	2,488,000		0	0.7	-	0.0
	Flow	Liquid SPGR	D P ft H ₂ O	Efficiency	Hp	kW
Circ Pump	000 gpm	1	0	0.7	-	0.0
H ₂ O WW Disch	0 gpm	1	0	0.7	-	0.0
			lb/hr O ₃			
LTO Electric Use	4.5 kW/lb O ₃					0
Other						
Total						0.0

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Reagent Use & Other Operating Costs				
Ozone Needed	1.8 lb O ₃ /lb NO _x	-	lb/hr O ₃	
Oxygen Needed	10% wt O ₂ to O ₃ conversion		0 lb/hr O ₂	0 scfh O ₂
LTO Cooling Water	150 gal/lb O ₃		0 gpm	
Liquid/Gas ratio	0.0	* L/G = Gal/1,000 acf		
Circulating Water Rate	0 gpm			
Water Makeup Rate/WW Disch =	20% of circulating water rate =		0 gpm	
Scrubber Cost	10 \$/scfm Gas	\$0	Incremental cost per BOC.	Need to increase vessel size over standard absorber.
Ozone Generator	\$350 lb O ₃ /day	\$0 Installed	Installed cost factor per BOC.	

Operating Cost Calculations			Annual hours of operation:		8,612		
			Utilization Rate:		100%		
Item	Unit Cost \$	Unit of Measure	Use Rate	Unit of Measure	Annual Use*	Annual Cost	Comments
Operating Labor							
Op Labor	0	\$/Hr	0.1	hr/8 hr shift	108	0	\$/Hr, 0.1 hr/8 hr shift, 8611.575 hr/yr
Supervisor	15%	of Op.			NA	-	15% of Operator Costs
Maintenance							
Maint Labor	37.00	\$/Hr	0.1	hr/8 hr shift	108	3,983	\$/Hr, 0.1 hr/8 hr shift, 8611.575 hr/yr
Maint Mtls	100	% of Maintenance Labor			NA	3,983	100% of Maintenance Labor
Utilities, Supplies, Replacements & Waste Management							
Electricity	0.051	\$/kwh	0.0	kW-hr	0	0	0 \$/kwh, 0 kW-hr, 8611.575 hr/yr, 100% utilization
Natural Gas	6.85	\$/kscf	0	scfm	0	0	0 \$/kscf, 0 scfm, 8611.575 hr/yr, 100% utilization
Water	0.31	\$/kgal	0.0	gpm	0	0	0 \$/kgal, 0 gpm, 8611.575 hr/yr, 100% utilization
Cooling Water	0.27	\$/kgal	0.0	gpm	0	0	0 \$kgal, 0 gpm, 8611.575 hr/yr, 100% utilization
Comp Air	0.31	\$/kscf	0	kscfm	0	0	0 \$/kscf, 0 kscfm, 8611.575 hr/yr, 100% utilization
WW Treat Neutralization	1.64	\$/kgal	0.0	gpm	0	0	0 \$/kgal, 0 gpm, 8611.575 hr/yr, 100% utilization
WW Treat Biotreatemer	4.15	\$/kgal	0.0	gpm	0	0	0 \$/kgal, 0 gpm, 8611.575 hr/yr, 100% utilization
SW Disposal	5.00	\$/ton	0.0	ton/hr	0	0	0 \$/ton, 0 ton/hr, 8611.575 hr/yr, 100% utilization
Haz W Disp	273	\$/ton	0.0	ton/hr	0	0	0 \$/ton, 0 ton/hr, 8611.575 hr/yr, 100% utilization
Waste Transport	0.55	\$/ton-mi	0.0	ton/hr	0	0	0 \$/ton-mi, 0 ton/hr, 8611.575 hr/yr, 100% utilization
Lost Ash Sales	5.00	\$/ton	0.0	ton/hr	0	0	0 \$/ton, 0 ton/hr, 8611.575 hr/yr, 100% utilization
Lime	90.0	\$/ton	0.0	lb/hr	0	0	0 \$/ton, 0 lb/hr, 8611.575 hr/yr, 100% utilization
Caustic	305.21	\$/ton	0.0	lb/hr	0	0	0 \$/ton, 0 lb/hr, 8611.575 hr/yr, 100% utilization
Oxygen	15	kscf	0.0	kscf/hr	0	0	0 kscf, 0 kscf/hr, 8611.575 hr/yr, 100% utilization
SCR Catalyst	500	\$/ft3	0	ft³	0	0	0 \$/ft3, 0 ft3, 8611.575 hr/yr, 100% utilization
Filter Bags	160.00	\$/bag	0	bags	0	0	0 \$/bag, 0 bags, 8611.575 hr/yr, 100% utilization
*annual use rate is in same units of measurement as the unit cost factor							

See Summary page for notes and assumptions